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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Filing Form For Continuation-In-Part Patent Application;
- (3) 71 Page Continuation-In-Part Patent Application consisting of:
 - 59 pages specification;
 - 11 pages with 57 claims;
 - 1 page of the abstract
 - 0 sheets drawings;
- (4) Executed Declaration;
- (5) Check no. 20510 \$ 1,522.00 for filing fee, additional total and independent claims;
- (6) Postcard for early notification of serial number.

Respectfully submitted,

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FOR CONTINUATION-IN-PART OF INTERNATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION
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of prior ("parent") US Patent application: Serial No. 10/617,191 Filing Date: July 11, 2003 Entitled: TOPICAL FORMULATIONS FOR TREATMENT OF SKIN DISORDERS
2. X *Enclosed for application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) are: 71 pages of text (specification, claims, abstract) 57 claims 0 sheets of drawings



The **present** application names the following inventor(s):

Karl F. POPP

- Newly executed oath or declaration (original or copy) is herewith submitted
- Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.52 (b))
- ____ (37 CFR 1.53--"CIP") The above-identified application (in which no payment of the Issue Fee, abandonment of or termination of proceedings has occurred) is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application.

The Total Filing Fee is calculated as follows:

- ____ Enter the Amendment filed in the prior patent application on prior to calculating the filing fee.
- ____ Enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment prior to calculating the filing fee.

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	NUMBER OF CLAIMS FILED		NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE	OR	RATE	FEE
TOTAL	57	minus 20	37	x9=	0		x10=	666
INDEP	4	minus 3	1	x43=	0		x86=	86
	BASE FILING FEE:				0		+770=	770
	xx Multiple Dependent Claims			+145=	0		+290=	0
				TOTAL	0	OR	TOTAL	1,522

- ____ Applicant(s) is/are a "small entity". A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status:
 - was filed in the parent application, and small entity status
 is still proper and desired;
 - is asserted as allowed under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- X A check including the above-indicated filing fee is enclosed.

	A Petition for Extension of Time (to keep the parent case pending) is enclosed, with a check including the $\frac{\$}{}$ extension fee.
	Assignment document(s) is/are submitted herewith, with a check including the recordation fee of \$40.00 per Assignment.
	No check is enclosed. A Declaration and Power of Attorney will be submitted at a later date pursuant to 37 CFR \S 1.41, 1.53, and/or a check for the "Total Filing Fee" calculated above and a surcharge under 37 CFR \S 1.16(e).
	The prior application is assigned of record to, on Reel, rame(s)
	An original executed Declaration is enclosed.
_X	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
	This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/617,191, filed on July 11, 2003, which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/407,285, filed on September 3, 2002, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety
_X	Benefit is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) from <u>Provisional</u> <u>Patent Application</u> (s) No. 60/407,285 filed <u>September 3, 2002</u> .
	Foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of application(s), filed, is hereby claimed. The certified priority paper(s): was/were filed in the parent case; is/are enclosed herewith; will be submitted at a later date.
<u>X</u>	The power of attorney in this application is to Gary M . Nath, Reg . No. 26,965 et al.

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- If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the parent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned to allow copendency of the parent and the present continuing application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.
- X Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$ 1,522.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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